

BUILDING INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH ON DRUG ABUSE



2015 NIDA INTERNATIONAL FORUM

JUNE 12-15, 2015 | PHOENIX, ARIZONA

AGENDA



Welcome to the 20th Annual NIDA International Forum

We are proud to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) International Forum. We will share stories from current and former participants about the Forum's impact on their work during the NIDA International Networking Session on Friday afternoon.

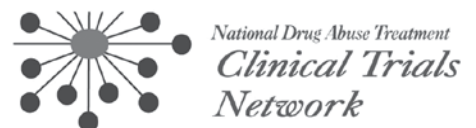
The International Society of Addiction Journal Editors (ISAJE), the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD) of the Organization of American States, and the NIDA Clinical Trials Network and Asian American/Pacific Islander Researchers and Scholars Work Group planned and supported sessions for the meeting. We thank Richard Pates, Marya Hynes, Betty Tai, and Yu "Woody" Lin, respectively.

The NIDA International Program contractor staff from IQ Solutions, Inc., again obtained an educational grant from Reckitt Benckiser Pharmaceuticals to provide travel awards for presenters at the International Research Posters session. The College on Problems of Drug Dependence (CPDD), the International Women's and Children's Health and Gender Working Group (InWomen's), Richard Rawson, and Jeffrey Samet provided additional travel award support. We are very grateful for this generous support of the talented scientists whose research makes this meeting such a success.

We look forward to continuing the NIDA International Forum in order to highlight your research and help you form the personal and professional connections that contribute to scientific advances in research and implementation of evidence-based prevention and treatment interventions around the world.

Steven W. Gust, Ph.D.
Director, International Program
National Institute on Drug Abuse

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Friday, June 12, 2015

3:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Registration and Information

MacArthur Foyer

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Workshop: Preparing Your Research
for Publication**

Salon 4

Presenters will discuss selecting a journal, preparing manuscripts, editorial decisions, responding to reviewers, revising and resubmitting, and issues that arise after acceptance.

International Society of Addiction Journal Editors (ISAJE)

- ❖ Tom McGovern, *Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Editor-in-Chief, The Alcoholism Treatment Quarterly*
- ❖ Richard Saitz, *Boston University School of Public Health, Senior Editor, Journal of Addiction Medicine*

6:00 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.

Break

6:15 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

NIDA International Networking Session

Salon 4

Co-Chairs: J. Randy Koch, *Virginia Commonwealth University*
Dale S. Weiss, *International Program, NIDA*

**Data Sources Around the World To Monitor Novel
Psychoactive Drug Trends**

- ❖ Jane Maxwell, *The University of Texas at Austin*

**Implementing NIDA's National Drug Abuse Facts
Week in Egypt**

- ❖ Mohammed Elhamshary, *NIDA Hubert H. Humphrey Drug Abuse Research Fellow, Virginia Commonwealth University*
- ❖ Jack Stein, *Office of Science Policy and Communications, NIDA*

20th Anniversary—NIDA International Forum

**Highlights From 20 Years of Success in Building International
Collaborative Research on Drug Abuse**

- ❖ Steven W. Gust, *International Program, NIDA*
- ❖ Dale S. Weiss, *International Program, NIDA*

How the Forum Helped Researchers Build Careers and Networks

- ❖ Silvia L. Cruz, *Cinvestav, Mexico*
- ❖ Bronwyn Myers, *Medical Research Council, South Africa*
- ❖ Valeriy Ryabukha, *"Choice" Prevention Center, Ukraine*
- ❖ Zulvia Syarif, *University of Indonesia*

Saturday, June 13, 2015

NIDA International Forum: Symposium

7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Registration and Information	<i>MacArthur Foyer</i>
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Plenary Session	<i>Salon 4</i>
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Welcoming Remarks and Introduction National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) ❖ Steven W. Gust, <i>Director, International Program, NIDA</i> College on Problems of Drug Dependence (CPDD) ❖ Jan Copeland, <i>Chair, CPDD International Committee, and University of New South Wales, Australia</i>	
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Update From NIDA: Developments, Priorities, and Opportunities ❖ Susan Weiss, <i>Director, Division of Extramural Research, NIDA</i>	
9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Break	
9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	International Programs on Substance Abuse and Addiction Chair: Steven W. Gust, <i>Director, International Program, NIDA</i>	
9:50 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	Developing a Strategic Response to the Challenge of Global Drug Use: Professionalizing Services and the Workforce ❖ Brian A. Morales, <i>Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL), U.S. Department of State</i>	
10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Each Person Counts—UNODC's Global Projects on Drug Use Prevention and the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders ❖ Anja Busse, <i>United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)</i>	
10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	Reducing the Global Demand for Drugs: U.S. Engagement Throughout the World ❖ Nita Lalla Roncone, <i>U.S. Office of National Drug Control Policy</i>	
10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.	From Treatment Guidelines to ICD-11 Development: An Update From the World Health Organization ❖ Vladimir Poznyak, <i>World Health Organization</i>	
11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	The UNODC Informal Scientific Network—Science in Support of Drug Policy ❖ Igor Koutsenok, <i>UNODC</i>	
11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Discussion	

- 11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** **2015 NIDA International Awards of Excellence**
- Mentoring**
❖ Robert E. Booth, *University of Colorado School of Medicine*
- International Leadership**
❖ Viviana Elizabeth Horigian, *University of Miami Miller School of Medicine*
- Collaborative Research**
❖ Gabriele Fischer, *Medical University of Vienna, Austria*
❖ Hendrée E Jones, *University of North Carolina*

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (On Your Own)**

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Concurrent Breakout Sessions**

- BREAKOUT #1** **Global Traumatic Events and Substance Use** *Salon 4*
- Experts from countries in conflict will discuss prevailing substance use patterns, problems, policies, and intervention strategies. Many of the interventions discussed may serve as model efforts for areas where conflict and traumatic conditions are common.
- Co-Chairs: Richard Rawson, *University of California Los Angeles*
Richard Isralowitz, *Ben Gurion University, Israel*
- Drug Abuse in the Middle East: Addressing Palestinian Needs Through Resistance and Resilience**
❖ Mohammed Al-Afifi, *Substance Abuse Research Center, Palestinian Territories*
- Alcohol and Drug Abuse in Post-Conflict Iraq**
❖ Jawad Al-Diwan, *Baghdad University College of Medicine, Iraq*
- Impact of the Armed Conflict (2014–2015) on Substance Use and Addiction Treatment in Ukraine**
❖ Victor Chtenguelov, *Academy of Labor, Social Relations and Tourism, Ukraine*
- Drug Abuse in the Middle East: Addressing Israeli Needs Through Common Needs**
❖ Richard Isralowitz, *Ben Gurion University, Israel*
- Drug Abuse in Afghanistan and Abuse Among Children Under 15**
❖ Hendrée E Jones, *University of North Carolina*

Implementation Science and Evidence-Based Treatments in Latin America—International Collaboration Challenges and Opportunities

Latin American researchers, providers, and administrators will discuss: (1) advantages and disadvantages of developing or adapting interventions proven in other countries; (2) current implementation practices and research in Brazil, Ecuador, Mexico, Peru, and other countries; and (3) strategies, facilitators, and barriers to implement evidence-based interventions.

Co-Chairs: Petra Jacobs, *Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil, Ecuador*
Carmen Rosa, *Center for Clinical Trials Network (CCTN), NIDA*

Welcome

- ❖ Carmen Rosa, *CCTN, NIDA*

Overview of Implementation Science and Opportunities in Latin America

- ❖ Petra Jacobs, *Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil, Ecuador*

Methodologies To Develop and Import an Evidence-Based Intervention: Brazil Case Study

- ❖ Flavio Pechansky, *Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil*

Using Clinical Trials To Develop and Implement Evidence-Based Interventions in Mexico

- ❖ Viviana E. Horigian, *University of Miami Miller School of Medicine*

Testing and Implementing Interventions for Patients With HIV and Substance Use in Peru:

Prevention Strategies in the Drug-Using MSM Population:

- ❖ Frederick Altice, *Yale University*

Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment:

A Feasibility Analysis

- ❖ Fabian Fiestas, *Instituto de Evaluacion de Tecnologias en Salud e Investigacion, Seguro Social de Salud del Peru*

Panel Discussion

- ❖ Frederick Altice, *Yale University*
- ❖ Fabian Fiestas, *Seguro Social de Salud del Peru*
- ❖ Viviana E. Horigian, *University of Miami Miller School of Medicine*
- ❖ Marya Hynes, *Inter-American Drug Observatory, CICAD*
- ❖ Dennis McCarty, *Oregon Health & Science University*
- ❖ Brian A. Morales, *INL, U.S. Department of State*
- ❖ Flavio Pechansky, *Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil*

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Break

2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Concurrent Breakout Sessions (continued)

BREAKOUT #3

**Ten Years of International Research Collaboration
in Latin America and the Caribbean**

Salon 4

Presenters will focus on advances and challenges for research and interventions conducted in Latin American and Caribbean countries in collaboration with the Canadian Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH), the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD), and NIDA.

Co-Chairs: Akwatu Khenti, *CAMH, Canada*

Marya Hynes, *Inter-American Drug Observatory, CICAD*

Moderator: Bruna Brands, *CAMH, Canada*

Remarks by Carla Arena Ventura, *University of São Paulo at
Ribeirão Preto, and Chair, CICAD-CAMH International
Research Training Program Alumni Association, Brazil*

**Panel on Drug Research Initiatives in Latin America
and the Caribbean**

Drugs of Abuse and Research in Clinical Toxicology

- ❖ Antonio Pascale, *Red Latinoamericana de Investigadores
en Drogas (REDLA), Uruguay*

**Research for Prevention and for Improving Access to Substance
Abuse Treatment in Peru**

- ❖ Inés Bustamante, *Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia, Peru*

Drug Research in the Caribbean: The CICAD-CAMH Effect

- ❖ Samantha Longman-Mills, *The University of the West Indies at
Mona, Jamaica*

**Research Experience and Training of Human Resources in
Mental Health and Addictions in Leon, Nicaragua**

- ❖ Andrés Herrera, *Universidad Nacional Autónoma de
Nicaragua-Leon*

**Challenges for Drug Research in Latin American and
Caribbean Countries**

- ❖ Robert Mann, *CAMH, Canada*
- ❖ Hayley Hamilton, *CAMH, Canada*

BREAKOUT #4

NIDA AIDS and Addiction Research in Vietnam

Salons 1 and 2

Presenters will report on capacity-building efforts and outcomes from NIDA-supported research to prevent and treat drug-related HIV/AIDS in Vietnam. Participants also will explore the role NIDA's Asian American/Pacific Islander (AA/PI) Researchers and Scholars Work Group can play in promoting global health through international collaboration on interdisciplinary and translational drug abuse research.

Co-Chairs: Yih-Ing Hser, *University of California Los Angeles*
Yu "Woody" Lin, *Division of Clinical Neuroscience and Behavioral Research (DCNBR), NIDA*

Welcome and Opening Remarks

❖ Yih-Ing Hser, *University of California Los Angeles*

Building a Research Infrastructure for International Collaborative Studies on Substance Use Disorders and HIV

❖ Le Minh Giang, *Hanoi Medical University, Vietnam*

Integrated Addiction Treatment To Improve HIV Care Engagement and Outcomes in Vietnam

❖ P. Todd Korthuis, *Oregon Health & Science University*

Implementation of a Sexual Health Intervention for YMSM in Vietnam

❖ Michael Clatts, *University of Puerto Rico Medical Sciences*

Establishing a Community-Based Model for HIV and Drug Control in Vietnam

❖ Sung-Jae Lee, *University of California Los Angeles*

Roundtable Discussion: AA/PI and Global Health

❖ Yu "Woody" Lin, *DCNBR, NIDA*

Monday, June 15, 2015

Joint NIDA International Forum and CPDD Workshop

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

International Research Posters

Learn about research conducted outside of the United States and meet NIDA staff and colleagues from around the world at this CPDD Workshop and NIDA International Forum poster session.

*Arizona Biltmore
Ballroom*

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Program At a Glance

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